

# The Odisha Gazette

EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

---

No.486, CUTTACK, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2025/ FALGUNA 6, 1946

---

## LAW DEPARTMENT

### NOTIFICATION

The 24th February, 2025

No.3441—I-LR(AG)-02/2024/L.— Whereas, the post of Junior Assistant and Senior Assistant have merged together and has been redesignated as Assistant Section Officer in the Office of the Advocate General, Odisha as per the Law Department Resolution No.9354, dated the 15th September, 2016;

And, whereas, there is no cadre rule governing recruitment to the post of Assistant Section Officer in the Office of the Advocate General, Odisha;

And, whereas, there are 29 posts of Assistant Section Officer lying vacant in the Office of the Advocate General, Odisha for which office works is being hampered to a great extent;

And, whereas, the Advocate General, Odisha has proposed for recruitment of Assistant Section Officers through Odisha Public Service Commission by adopting the Odisha Secretariat Service (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 2016;

Now, therefore, Government after careful consideration do hereby adopt the Odisha Secretariat Service (Method of Recruitment and Conditions of Service) Rules, 2016 for recruitment to the post of Assistant Section Officer in the Office of the Advocate General, Odisha as a special case in public interest. The Appointing Authority for the said posts shall be the Advocate General, Odisha for all purposes.

By Order of the Governor

PRANAB KUMAR PATRA

L.R.-cum-Special Secretary to Government